GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Services – Mines & Geology – V&E Report No.17, dt:11.03.2016 – Certain irregularities in conducting mining operations in Mining Lease for Beach Sand Minerals over an extent of 7.20 Sq.Kms, in different Sy.Nos in Vastavalasa & Thonangi Villages, Gara Mandal, Srikakulam District held by M/s East West Mineral Sands Pvt. Ltd., - Revised recommendations of V&E Dept - Article of Charges framed - WSD submitted - Appointment of Inquiring Authority - Orders - Issued.

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INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE (VIG) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 63 Dated: 10-04-2025

Read the following:

1. From the GA (V&E) Dept., Vigilance report No.17 (C.No.888/V&E /NR/2014), dt.11.03.2016 & 21.03.2019.
2. From the DM&G, Lr. No.29489/E-Vg/2016, dt:26.12.2023.
3. G.O.Rt.Nos.27, 28 & 29, Ind & Com (Vig) Dept., dt.13.02.2024.
4. From the C&D, M&G, Vijayawada, lr.No.294189/E1/VIG/2016, dt.19.02.2025.

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**ORDER**:

Whereas, an inquiry under rule 20 of the A.P.C.S (CC&A) Rules, 1991 is being held against Sri K.L.V.Prasad, the then ADM&G, Srikakulam and Sri R.Thammunaidu, the then Asst Geologist, O/o ADM&G, Srikakulam for irregularities committed in allowing mining operations and issuing transit permits to M/s East West Mineral Sands Private Limited (M/s Trimex Industries Ltd) for transportation of Beach sand minerals from the disputed area of 387.72 acres of Vatsavalasa village of Gara Mandal, Srikakulam District

2. And whereas, it is considered that an Inquiring Authority should be appointed to inquire into the charges framed against Sri K.L.V.Prasad, the then ADM&G, Srikakulam and Sri R.Thammunaidu, the then Asst. Geologist, O/o ADM&G, Srikakulam.

3. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-rule (2) of Rule- 20 of the said Rules, the disciplinary authority hereby appoints Sri D. Srinivasa Rao, Joint Director of Mines and Geology, O/o DM&G, Ibrahimpatnam as the Inquiring Authority to inquire into the charges framed against Sri K.L.V. Prasad, the then ADM&G, Srikakulam and Sri R.Thammunaidu, the then Asst. Geologist, O/o ADM&G, Srikakulam.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

PRAVIN KUMAR
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri D.Srinivasa Rao, Joint Director of Mines and Geology, O/o DM&G,

Ibrahimpatnam (through Commissioner & Director of Mines and Geology, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada).

Sri K.L.V.Prasad, the then ADM&G, Srikakulam and Sri R.Thammunaidu, the then Asst Geologist, O/o ADM&G, Srikakulam (through Commissioner & Director of Mines and Geology, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada).

**Copy to:**

Sri C. Mohan Rao, Deputy Director of Mines and Geology, Srikakulam (through the Commissioner & Director of Mines and Geology, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada).

The Commissioner & Director of Mines and Geology, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada.

The Director, Translation wing, AP secretariat (with a request to translate the GO into Telugu version)

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